



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Diane L. Deering et al.  
App. No.: 09/805,539  
Filed: March 13, 2001  
Title: PILLOW BLANKET  
Art Unit: 3673  
Examiner: F. Conley

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Docket No.: D15-003-02-US  
Customer No: 22,854

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**TO RESPOND TO OFFICIAL ACTION**

Sir:

Applicants, through their counsel, respectfully requests a 3 (three) month extension of time, or such extension of time as is necessary, to respond to the Office Action of July 13, 2004, thereby extending the date for timely response to December 13, 2004. Enclosed please find a check in the amount of \$885.00, \$ 490.00 of which is to be applied to the 3 (three) month extension of time. Please charge any deficiencies,

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additional fees or surcharges necessary to make this response timely to the Deposit Account of the undersigned firm of attorneys, Deposit Account No. 13-4300, and credit overpayment thereto.

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Respectfully submitted,  
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